

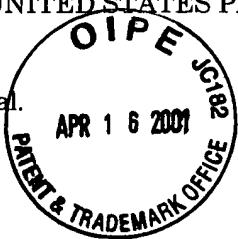
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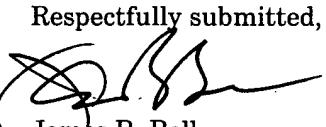
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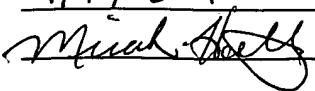
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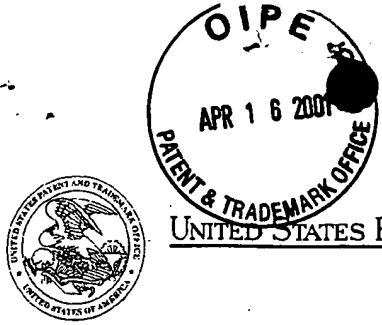
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The disclosures herein relate generally to computer systems and more particularly to a system and method for using resources of a computer system in conjunction with a thin media client.

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